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TUNE IN TO THE BLOOMINGTON JAZZ FESTIVAL

JazzMn Big Band to headline annual event

ONE OF MINNESOTA’S BEST KNOWN groups, the JazzMn Big Band, headlines the **2005 Bloomington Jazz Festival on Sunday, August 14**, at Normandale Lake Bandshell, 84th Street and Chalet Road. Formed in 1998, JazzMn is a professional orchestra featuring outstanding jazz musicians from the Twin Cities.

Promising to be one of the best yet, the festival lineup includes:

Triplicate, who has performed at the Hot Summer Jazz Festival, the KBEM Winter Jazz Festival and Grand Marais Jazz Festival, the Artist’s Quarter in St. Paul and the Dakota Jazz Club in Minneapolis.



The **Stan Bann Big Band**, who has played more than 250 concerts in the Twin Cities, performs new renditions of big band classics.

Red Wolfe’s “Ellington Echoes” Memorial Band, directed by Percy

FESTIVAL LINE-UP

12 - 1 p.m.	Triplicate
1:30 - 2:30 p.m.	Stan Bann Big Band
3 - 4 p.m.	Red Wolfe’s “Ellington Echoes” Memorial Band
4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	JazzMN

Hughes, performs Ellington’s big band compositions as a small ensemble.

Parking is available in the ramps across 84th Street or to the east on Chalet Road. The event is free. For more information, call 952-563-8877.

YOUTH SPORTS AND ACTIVITIES

AR&LE

THE ADAPTIVE RECREATION & Learning Exchange (AR&LE) provides opportunities for individuals with disabilities to participate in recreational and educational programs. These opportunities are for people with varied ability levels in specially designed programs that meet their needs. For more information, call Parks and Recreation.

SPORTS HALL OF FAME BLOOMINGTON ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION SALUTES VOLUNTEERS

EACH YEAR, BLOOMINGTON ATHLETIC Association inducts one or more persons into the Sports Hall of Fame. The award honors men and women who have contributed their time and energy to the growth of amateur sports in the city.

When: Thursday, October 13.
Where: Knights of Columbus Hall, 1114 W. 79th St.

For more information, call Jason Hicks at 952-563-8880.

ADULT SPORTS

FALL TENNIS LESSONS

When: *Session I:* September 8 - October 13.
Session II: October 20 - November 24.

Time: Call Parks and Recreation for details.

Where: Northwest Athletic Club, 1001 W. 98th St.

Cost: \$55.

WOMEN’S AND CO-REC VOLLEYBALL



LEAGUES FORM IN September. Play begins Monday, October 17. Cost is \$445 refereed and \$275 recreational. Sign up by Friday, September 12. For more information, call Parks and Recreation.

RIVER RENDEZVOUS

A STEP BACK IN TIME

JOIN THE FUN AT POND-DAKOTA MISSION Park, 401 E. 104th St., on **Saturday, September 17, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.** Walk through 200 years of history where costumed reenactors portray the life and times of those who took part in the development of Minnesota and the American West. For information, call Parks and Recreation or visit www.ci.bloomington.mn.us, keyword: Rendezvous.



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CENTER FOR THE ARTS

BLOOMINGTON ART CENTER

EXHIBITIONS

952-563-4777

Hours: **M - F** 8 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Sa 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Su 1 p.m. - 10 p.m.

INEZ GREENBERG GALLERY

Metaphor and Myth, runs through **August 19** and features artists Jeannine Spooner Kitzhaber and Margo Selski.



"Humpty Dumpty II", oil and beeswax, Margo Selski

The Society of Minnesota Sculptors runs **August 26 - September 30**. The opening reception will be Friday, August 26, 6 - 8 p.m.

Landscapes, Light & Surfaces, featuring Fred Annes, Jon Martin Hicks and Cameron Zebrun, runs **October 7 - November 11**. The opening reception will be Friday, October 7, 6 - 8 p.m.

ATRIUM GALLERY

Visit these second floor exhibits. **Life is Fun!! – 25 Years in Children’s Books**, featuring artist and author Nancy Carlson, runs through **September 16**. A book reading and signing will be held Saturday, August 13, 10 a.m. - noon.

Wishful Thinking, featuring artist Jennifer Davis, runs **September 22 - November 4**.

LOCATED IN BLOOMINGTON CIVIC PLAZA AT THE CORNER OF WEST 98TH STREET AND OLD SHAKOPEE ROAD, the Center for the Arts is a first-class facility housing eight arts organizations. For facility information, call 952-563-8889. For exhibit information and events, call 952-563-8567.

SCHNEIDER THEATER

BLOOMINGTON CIVIC THEATRE (BCT)

For tickets, call 952-563-8575 or visit www.bloomingtoncivictheatre.org.

50 YEARS OF BROADWAY’S BEST GALA EVENT

A black-tie optional event to laud BCT’s 50 years of musical performances will be held **Saturday, August 20, 7 - 10 p.m.** The gala event will include “50 Years of Broadway’s Best,” a performance directed and choreographed by John Command, hors d’oeuvres, a cash bar, live entertainment, dessert and special guest Sally Struthers. VIP ticket holders will receive a champagne and hors d’oeuvres reception beginning at 6 p.m., preferred seating and an opportunity to meet BCT artistic staff and Sally Struthers. Tickets are \$60 VIP; \$40 guest.

BEST LITTLE WHOREHOUSE IN TEXAS

Sally Struthers stars in **The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas**, a production based on a true story of a Texas brothel that becomes tangled in the forces of good vs. evil. The show runs **September 1 - 25**.

BLOOMINGTON ART CENTER

The Legend of Sleepy Hollow will be performed **Thursdays - Saturdays, October 6 - 22, 7:30 p.m.**, and **Sundays, October 9 - 23, 2 p.m.** Tickets are \$15 adults; \$12 seniors/students. For information, call BAC at 952-563-8587.

